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It is hereby requested that the shortened statutory period for responding to the Examiner's Action dated July 2, 2003 be extended one-month from October 2, 2003 to November 2, 2003. November 2, 2003 being a Sunday, the deadline for response falls on November 3, 2003.

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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency in the required fee or to credit any overpayment to Deposit Account 50-1177.

Responsive Action has been taken by filing a RESPONSE simultaneously herewith.

Respectfully submitted,

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